

In re Application Serial No. 10/010,065 – Allen *et al.*

**REMARKS**

Claim 76 has been amended to recite “an increased fasting level” instead of “a increased fasting level.” As such, the amendment to Claim 76 is merely a syntax correction. Further, the amendment does not add or constitute new matter and is completely supported by the application as originally filed.

Claims 73, 77 and 79-83 have been canceled. The amendments to the claims are made without prejudice to the pending or now canceled claims or to any subject matter pursued in related applications. Moreover, the amendments are made solely to expedite prosecution of the application and are not intended to limit the scope of the invention. The Applicants reserve the right to prosecute any canceled subject matter at a later time or in a later filed divisional, continuation or continuation-in-part application.

It is believed that the claims are in condition for allowance, and notice to that effect is respectfully requested. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1271 under Order No. R-648.

Respectfully submitted,

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